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No. 191. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th May 1867.

1. Collectors were requested in a Circular Official Memorandum of the Board of Revenue, dated 10th April, to report what extra establishments will be necessary to carry out the provisions of the License Act; and it was suggested at the same time that in large Zemindary tracts some special agency might be required for granting licenses, and with this view Collectors were asked their opinion as to the advisability or otherwise of granting licensing powers to the Sub-Magistrates in charge of these tracts.

2. The Collectors of Tanjore, Malabar, and Godavery District state that no extra establishment will be required either in the Collector's Office or in the Talooks.

3. The Collectors of Nellore, Bellary, Trichinopoly, Tinnevelly, Coimbatore. and Salem require an extra establishment in the Collector's Office only.

4. The Collector of Madras has proposed extra establishments in his own and the Sub-Collector's Office (the salary of his Head Writer being fixed at Rupees 70). He has not proposed any establishment for the collection of the tax in Madras, on the understanding that Government intend making special arrangements; and the Collectors of the other Districts propose Talook as well as Head-quarter establishments.

5. All the Collectors agree in considering it highly desirable that the Sub-Magistrates in Zemindary tracts should be empowered to grant licenses.

6. A table of the establishment proposed by the different Collectors is appended to these Proceedings. On a consideration of these papers, the Board concur with the Collectors of Zemindary Districts in thinking that the powers of a Collector may be given to the Sub-Magistrates in charge of Zemindaries.

7. As to establishments, the Board would recommend that a Gumastah on 20 Rupees a month be allowed for each Assessing Officer (Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate) for a period of six months, when the Collector of the District finds such assistance necessary.

8. The Board do not consider that any extra establishment will be necessary for the Collectors or the Divisional Officer, as appeals will probably be few.

TABULAR STATEMENT of Establishments required by the Collectors of the several Districts for carrying out the provisions of the License Act.

Districts.	Particulars of Establishment.	Amount.
1	2	3
Ganjam.	*Ganjam.*	RS.
	1 Gumashta ... Rs. 15 2 Peons, at 6 ... ,, 12	27
	Itchapur.	
	Same as for Ganjam... ...	27
	Teekally.	
	Same as for Ganjam... ...	27
	Aska.	
	Same as for Ganjam... ...	27
		108
Vizagapatam.	*Collector.*	
	1 Clerk ... ... Rs. 50 1 Assistant... ... ,, 15 1 Peon ... ... ,, 6 Saderwarid ... ,, 2	73
	Divisional Officers (3).	
	1 Clerk ... ... Rs. 30 1 Peon ... ... ,, 6 Saderwarid... ... ,, 2	
	38	
	For 3 Officers	114
	Tahsildars (2).	
	1 Clerk ... ... Rs. 15 1 Peon ... ... ,, 6 Saderwarid ... ,, 2	
	23	
	For 2 Tahsildars	46
	Sub-Magistrates (18).	
	Same as for Tahsildar, 23 for 18	414
		617
Godavery.	No extra establishment is necessary	.....

Districts.	Particulars of Establishment.	Amount.
1	2	3
Kistna.	*For Nuzid Division.*	RS.
	1 Gumushta... ... Rs. 15 2 Peons, at 6 Rs. each ,, 12	27
	Vissanapet Division.	
	Same as above	27
	Bundur Talook.	
	1 Gumashta	15
	Guntoor Talook.	
	1 Gumashta	15
		84
Nellore.	Head Clerk ... Rs. 50 1 Clerk ... ... ,, 20 1 Attender ... ... ,, 6	76
Cuddapah.	1 Clerk ... ... Rs. 35 1 Do. ... ... ,, 15 11 Talook Clerks, at 15 Rs. each ... ,, 165	215
Bellary.	1 English Clerk	70
	1 Vernacular Clerk	20
	1 Dufterbund...	7
		97
Kurnool.	8 Gumastahs, at one to each Tahsildar, at 20 Rs. each ...	160
	3 Do. at one to the Head Assistant and one to each of the two Deputy Collectors, at 25 Rs. each	75
		235
Madras.	*Collector's Office.*	
	1 English Clerk ... Rs. 70 2 Vernacular Clerks, at 20 Rs. each ... ,, 40	110
	Sub-Collector's Office.	
	1 English Clerk ... Rs. 20 1 Vernacular Clerk... ,, 10	30

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Tabular Statement of Establishments required by the Collectors, &c.—(*Concluded.*)

Districts.	Particulars of Establishment.	Amount.
1	2	3
North Arcot.	*Collector's Office.*	RS.
	1 English Accountant Rs. 50 1 Vernacular Clerk... ,, 20	70
	Zemindary Divisions.	
	For 6 Divisions, at one Gumashta, at 12 ... Rs. 72 and at one Peon, at 6 ,, 36	
	For one Division of Maderpauk, at one Peon on 6 ... ,, 6	114
South Arcot.	1 Extra Clerk for each Talook on ... ... Rs. 15 1 Clerk for each Divisional Officer on ... ,, 30	
Tanjore.	No establishment is needed...	.....
Trichinopoly.	*Collector's Office.*	
	1 Clerk	35

Districts.	Particulars of Establishment.	Amount.
1	2	3
Madura.	*Zemindary Divisions.*	RS.
	For 6 Divisions, at 1 Gumastah each on 15 Rs... ...	90
	Collector's Office.	
	1 Clerk ... ... Rs. 30 1 Do. ... ... ,, 15 1 Attender... ... ,, 8	53
		143
Tinnevelly.	1 Clerk	50
Coimbatore.	1 English Clerk ... Rs. 35 1 Vernacular Clerk... ,, 25	60
Salem.	*Collector's Office.*	
	1 English Clerk on Rs. 40 or 35 1 Gumastah on ,, 20	60 or 55
South Canara.	*Collector's Office.*	
	1 Clerk	35
	Mangalore Talook.	
	1 Clerk	15
Malabar.	No establishment is needed...	.....

MADRAS,
8th May 1867.

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Secretary.

No. 192. ORDER THEREON, 13th May 1867, No. 1,078.

Miscellaneous.

1. Ordered accordingly that the Sub-Magistrates in charge of Zemindaries be vested with the same powers as have been conferred on Tahsildars for the purpose of assessing individuals to the License Tax under Act XXI. of 1867.

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2. Under the authority conferred by the Government of India, the Government sanction the employment, for a period of six months, of one Gumastah on Rupees 20 monthly under each Assessing Officer, when the Collector of the District finds such assistance necessary.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

No. 1078. (2)

Communicating to the Sub Magte in charge of Jemindaris the orders of Govt. & the same powers as have been conferred on Dists. for the purpose of assessing & limiting the License Tax under Act 21. of 1867.

Under the authority of the Govt. of India the Govt. sanction the employt. for a period of six months from date of Gumastahs on Rs. 20 each monthly under each assessing officer when the Collr. of the District finds such assistance necessary

13th June 1867.

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